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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - September quarter						
Unemployment	no.	-	-	1,375	1,167	1,540
Unemployment rate	%	-	-	5.1	4.7	6.1
LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE - year ended 30 June						
Total Revenue	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total Expenses	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Net Operating Balance (Revenue less Expenses)	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total Assets	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total Liabilities	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
GFS Net Worth (Assets less Liabilities)	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Net Debt (Financial Liabilities less Financial Assets)	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
SELECTED INCOME SUPPORT CUSTOMERS - at June						
Age pension	no.	-	-	6,679	6,766	-
Disability support pension	no.	-	-	2,032	2,044	-
Newstart allowance	no.	-	-	1,209	1,208	-
Parenting payment - single	no.	-	-	961	947	-
Youth allowance	no.	-	-	995	933	-
Other pensions and allowances	no.	-	-	1,682	1,649	-
Total selected income support customers	no.	-	-	13,558	13,550	-
Percentage of long-term Newstart allowance customers	%	-	-	63.8	66.4	-
AVERAGE INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL TAXABLE INCOME - year ended 30 June	$	28,774	32,761	36,269	34,233	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	16,383	16,133	15,985	16,444	-
Wage and salary income	$m	432.0	448.3	457.5	482.4	-
Total income	$m	452.2	477.9	489.8	511.7	-
Average wage and salary income	$	26,370	27,786	28,622	29,334	-
Average total income	$	27,600	29,621	30,642	31,119	-

SOURCE OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary	%	59.3	51.6	-	-	-
Own unincorporated business	%	13.3	23.2	-	-	-
Investment	%	8.9	9.1	-	-	-
Superannuation and annuity	%	2.6	2.3	-	-	-
Government cash benefit	%	15.5	13.6	-	-	-
Other income	%	0.4	0.3	-	-	-
Total income from all sources	$m	758.0	919.0	-	-	-
LAND AREA	km2	-	-	-	-	33,944.3
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	202	131	187	198	233
Total dwelling units	no.	214	139	191	198	241
Value of total residential building	$m	29.6	22.9	32.6	35.1	44.7
Value of total non-residential buildings	$m	25.0	23.9	21.5	22.2	36.3
Value of total building	$m	54.6	46.8	54.0	57.3	81.1
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	-	-	1,047	999	1,134
Other vehicles	no.	-	-	842	740	912
Total vehicles	no.	-	-	1,890	1,739	2,046
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION - year ended 30 June						
Value of crops	$m	-	636.0	-	-	-
Value of livestock slaughterings and other disposals	$m	-	128.1	-	-	-
Value of livestock products	$m	-	77.0	-	-	-
Total value of agriculture	$m	-	841.1	-	-	-
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX- at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	1,710	1,700	1,651	1,562	1,571
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	2,006	1,952	1,912	1,878	1,829
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	2,003	2,030	2,027	2,006	1,967
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1,686	1,702	1,703	1,676	1,688
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1,198	1,190	1,158	1,194	1,198
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1,380	1,326	1,293	1,303	1,261
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1,600	1,569	1,543	1,489	1,476
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1,898	1,831	1,759	1,694	1,664

Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1,954	1,976	1,962	1,926	1,890
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1,790	1,779	1,787	1,811	1,830
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1,700	1,753	1,724	1,718	1,712
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1,397	1,397	1,462	1,507	1,570
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1,353	1,383	1,392	1,380	1,347
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1,282	1,241	1,252	1,250	1,250
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1,176	1,170	1,154	1,138	1,138
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	796	861	908	920	926
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	464	440	473	522	562
Males - 85 years and over	no.	357	371	385	393	389
Males - total	no.	25,750	25,671	25,545	25,367	25,268
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	1,693	1,616	1,531	1,446	1,427
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1,852	1,865	1,828	1,791	1,747
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1,786	1,785	1,805	1,798	1,768
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1,463	1,448	1,449	1,449	1,492
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1,047	1,040	1,031	1,014	1,013
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1,350	1,321	1,307	1,291	1,267
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1,638	1,579	1,599	1,554	1,508
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1,840	1,839	1,772	1,728	1,667
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1,896	1,898	1,901	1,883	1,873
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1,715	1,737	1,731	1,747	1,780
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1,609	1,635	1,611	1,620	1,621
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1,408	1,444	1,486	1,516	1,557
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1,317	1,324	1,334	1,357	1,347
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1,213	1,175	1,220	1,212	1,220
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1,319	1,291	1,238	1,195	1,187
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1,110	1,153	1,146	1,188	1,210
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	739	759	806	832	882
Females - 85 years and over	no.	824	850	862	867	878
Females - total	no.	25,819	25,759	25,657	25,488	25,444
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	3,403	3,316	3,182	3,008	2,998
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	3,858	3,817	3,740	3,669	3,576
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3,789	3,815	3,832	3,804	3,735
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	3,149	3,150	3,152	3,125	3,180
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	2,245	2,230	2,189	2,208	2,211
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	2,730	2,647	2,600	2,594	2,528
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	3,238	3,148	3,142	3,043	2,984
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	3,738	3,670	3,531	3,422	3,331

Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	3,850	3,874	3,863	3,809	3,763
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	3,505	3,516	3,518	3,558	3,610
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	3,309	3,388	3,335	3,338	3,333
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	2,805	2,841	2,948	3,023	3,127
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	2,670	2,707	2,726	2,737	2,694
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	2,495	2,416	2,472	2,462	2,470
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	2,495	2,461	2,392	2,333	2,325
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1,906	2,014	2,054	2,108	2,136
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1,203	1,199	1,279	1,354	1,444
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	1,181	1,221	1,247	1,260	1,267
Persons - total	no.	51,569	51,430	51,202	50,855	50,712
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION at 30 June	%	-	0.8	-	-	-
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2001						
Total Born overseas	%	-	4.6	-	-	-
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	0.5	-	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	2.8	-	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	0.6	-	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	0.1	-	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	0.2	-	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	0.1	-	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	0.1	-	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	0.2	-	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	0.1	-	-	-
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2001	%	-	1.5	-	-	-
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER - Census 2001						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	0.4	-	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	1.2	-	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	5.6	-	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	4.6	-	-	-
Certificate	%	-	15.0	-	-	-
Inadequately described or Not stated	%	-	10.7	-	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	37.5	-	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2001						
Managers and Administrators	%	-	22.0	-	-	-
Professionals	%	-	13.1	-	-	-
Associate Professionals	%	-	11.0	-	-	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	%	-	11.6	-	-	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	%	-	2.5	-	-	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	%	-	11.4	-	-	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	%	-	7.4	-	-	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	%	-	8.2	-	-	-
Labourers and Related Workers	%	-	10.6	-	-	-
Inadequately described or Not stated	%	-	2.0	-	-	-
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2001						
Lone person households	no.	-	5,233	-	-	-
Group households	no.	-	440	-	-	-
Family households	no.	-	13,254	-	-	-
Total households	no.	-	18,927	-	-	-
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2001						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	4,927	-	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	886	-	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	5,754	-	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	1,079	-	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	462	-	-	-
Other families	no.	-	188	-	-	-
Total families	no.	-	13,296	-	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION IN REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2001						
Major cities	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
Inner regional	%	-	13.8	-	-	-
Outer regional	%	-	81.1	-	-	-
Remote	%	-	5.1	-	-	-
Very remote	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June	persons/km2	-	-	-	-	1.5
BIRTHS AND DEATHS						

Births - year ended 31 December	no.	596	588	540	550	535
Crude birth rate	rate	11.5	11.4	10.5	10.8	10.5
Deaths - year ended 31 December	no.	519	525	531	561	483
Crude death rate	rate	10.0	10.2	10.3	11.0	9.5
ROAD TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND MAJOR INJURIES - Calendar year						
Road traffic fatalities	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Road traffic major injuries	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
REPORTED CRIME OFFENCES - Year ended 30 June						
Number of Offences						
Offences against the person	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Rate per 100,00 population						
Offences against the person	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
CONDITION OF MAIN ROADS - year ended June						
Total length of main roads	km	n.a.	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Percentage with roughness > 110 nm	%	n.a.	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Percentage with roughness > 110 nm	%	n.a.	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Percentage with rut depth > 10 mm	%	n.a.	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Percentage with cracking	%	n.a.	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Distressed length	km	n.a.	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
GOVERNMENT OWNED SOCIAL HOUSING STOCKS - at 30 June						
Occupied dwellings	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Vacant dwellings	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Total dwellings	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH						
Males	years	-	n.a.	-	n.a.	-
Males - percentage change from previous period	%	-	..	-	0.0	-

Females	years	-	n.a.	-	n.a.	-
Females - percentage change from previous period	%	-	..	-	0.0	-

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